

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

Docket No.
04452.015001

OCT 27 2003

(Small Entity)

In Re Application Of: **Yoshinori ITO**

Serial No.	Filing Date	Examiner	Group Art Unit
09/912,938	July 25, 2001	Pedro Cuevas	2834

ABSOLUTE POSITION DETECTING DEVICE FOR A LINEAR/ROTARY ACTUATOR

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TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of June 27, 2003 in the above-identified application.

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

- One month Two months Three months Four months Five months

from: September 27, 2003 Date: _____ until: October 27, 2003 Date: _____

A verified statement of small entity status as a small entity under 37 CFR 1.27:

- is enclosed.
 has already been filed in this application.

The fee for the extension of time is \$55 and is to be paid as follows:

- A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
 - The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-0591
 - If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 50-0591

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